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CARBON FIBER REINFORCEMENT SYSTEM

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TRANSMITTAL OF ORIGINAL DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY, FILING FEE AND REQUEST FOR CORRECTED OFFICIAL FILING RECEIPT

Sir:

Pursuant to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted", mailed August 3, 2001, enclosed is an original executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified application and a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

Enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$453.00 to cover the \$65.00 surcharge set forth under 37 CFR 1.16(e) and the \$388.00 filing fee.

We also acknowledge receipt of the Official Filing Receipt for the above-identified application. However, the title, total claims and name of applicant(s) are incorrect. The incorrect title setforth as "CARBON FIBER REINFORCEMENT MATERIAL" should be --CARBON FIBER REINFORCEMENT SYSTEMS--, the total claims setforth as "21" should be --22-- and the applicant setforth as "Donald"

Edward Wheatley" should be applicants --Donald G. Wheatley and Donald E. Wheatley--.

Accordingly, would you please correct your records and issue a corrected Official Filing Receipt.

If for some reason Applicants have not paid a sufficient fee to prevent the abandonment of this application, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-0750 for any further fees which may be due. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

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DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

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DECLARATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

CARBON FIBER REINFORCEMENT SYSTEM

the specification of	which (check one)
	is attached hereto.
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby appoint each practitioner at Customer No. 27572 ()) of Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C., my attorney with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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